

# New England World Selections

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# World Coin Division Steps Up Activity

New England Rare Coin Galleries' World Coin Division is gearing up for an unusually busy fall season. Our staff of experts will participate in a number of upcoming shows over the next few months, which will help us serve you in two distinct ways. At each of these events, our professionals will offer hundreds of superb specimens expected to please both the date and type collector. At the Long Beach II Sale, for example, scheduled October 1-3 in Long Beach, California, New England's ancient and world offerings will include more than 270 lots. Many of these specimens are in exceptional condition, and a number are rarely offered on the marketplace.

By attending several different shows, our professionals will also be better able to keep abreast of the burgeoning world coin market. Our fall schedule, for instance, includes the Tigurum Fall Show, slated October 17-18, in Zurich, Switzerland. Here we expect to keep close tabs on European buyers, who are a major force in world coin trends.

In this issue of **New England World Selections**, you'll find an impressive array of coins, many of which were acquired at the recent 1981 American Numismatic Association Convention. Remember, however, that these listings are only a sampling of the material we have in inventory. If you don't see what you want, please feel free to call us, or send us your Want List.

This catalog also includes a detailed analysis of the world coin market trends revealed at the ANA convention, as well as an overview of some spectacular Japanese coins recently obtained by New England. Our special feature traces the colorful history of French coinage. We hope you find the articles informative.

Ann Marie Reis

#### September Special Feature Exceedingly Rare Proof Gold



Great Britain: 1826 Gold 2 Pound, Proof-60, Cameo

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MS-63. One-year type. The only year this denomination
was made
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275.00
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Melbourne Mint
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issue of Ferdinand I
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Only 495,000 struck
W-9 AUSTRIA: 1929, GOLD 100 SCHILLINGS, FR-435,
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republic issue
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Only 7,660 struck
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Popular Leopold II type
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Popular Leopold II type
W-17 BELGIUM: 1914, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-37, MS-63,
PROOFLIKE, French legend. Uniformed bust of King!
350.00
W-18 BRAZIL: 1897, GOLD 20,000 REIS, Y-26, AU-58.
Only 11,000 struck. Rarely seen better than Very Fine
W-19 CHILE: 1872, GOLD TEN PESOS, FR-45, Y-222,
MS-63. Exceedingly rare in Mint State. Possibly the finest
known example! 2,950.00
W-20 COLOMBIA: 1846, UM 16 GOLD PESOS, C-150 1,
EF-45. Popayan mint. Planchet flaw on lower shield reverse. Mint lustre intact 1,250.00
W-21 COLUMBIA: 1926, GOLD FIVE PESOS, Y-56, MS-63.
Very difficult to locate in mint state
W-22 COLUMBIA: 1929, GOLD FIVE PESOS, Y-56,
MS-63. Only 321,000 struck. Rare in Mint State 395.00
W-23 CZECHOSLAVAKIA: 1923, GOLD DUCAT, Y-15,
MS-63. Only 62,000 struck. Very popular! 250.00

W-24 CZECHOSLAVAKIA: 1925, GOLD DUCAT	
MS-65. Only 66,000 struck. Very popular!	325.00
W-25 CZECHOSLAVAKIA: 1926, GOLD DUCAT	V-15
MS-65. Only 59,000 struck. Very popular!	325 00
W-27 CZECHOSLAVAKIA: 1933, GOLD ONE D	VICAT
Y-12, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Homage commemorative	
2,000 struck	750.00
W-28 CZECHOSLAVAKIA: 1934, GOLD DUCAT	. Y-15.
MS-65. Only 9,729 struck. Rare date, Popular!	350.00
W-30 DENMARK. 1873, GOLD 20 KRONOR, Y-19,	MS-63.
First year of type	395.00
W-31 DENMARK: 1908, GOLD TEN KRONER	V.26
MS-63. Two year type of Frederik VIII.	
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W-32 DEHMARK: 1909, GOLD TEH KROHEK,	305.00
Popular two year type coin.	295.00
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Two year type	295.00
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Popular Wilhelm VII type	395.00
W-35 DENMARK: 1911, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-27,	MS-63.
Popular two year type coin	
W-36 DENMARK: 1913, GOLD TEN KRONER,	MS-63.
Popular two year type coin	295 00
W-37 DENMARK: 1913, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-45,	
Very popular issuel	425.00
Very popular issue!	MS 63
Very popular issue!	125 00
W-39 DENMARK: 1916, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-45,	MC 63
Very popular issue!	393.00
Only 132,000 originally struck	295.00
W-41 DENMARK: 1917, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-45,	MS-63.
Christian X type.	395.00
W-42 FINLAND: 1879, GOLD TEN MARKKAA	, Y.5.
MS-63	495.00
W-43 FINLAND: 1882, GOLD TEN MARKKAA	, Y-5.
MS-63. Popular type	495.00
W-44 FINLAND: 1903, GOLD 20 MARKKAA, Y-6,	MS-63.
Only 112,000 struck. Scarce issue	650.00
W-45 FINLAND: 1904, GOLD 20 MARKKAA, Y-6,	MS-63.
Only 188,000 struck. Scarce issue	650.00
W-46 FINLAND: 1910, GOLD 20 MARKKAA, Y-6,	MS-65.
Popular type	850.00
W-47 FINLAND: 1912, GOLD 20 MARKKAA, Y-6,	MS.63
W-47 FINEAND. 1912, GOLD 20 MARRAM, 1-0,	475.00
W-48 FINLAND: 1913, GOLD TEN MARKKAA	V.5
W-48 FINLAND: 1913, GOLD TEN MARKINA	405.00
MS-63	495.00
W-49 FINLAND: 1913, GOLD 20 MARKKAA, Y-6,	M3-03.
Popular type	00.00
W-50 FRANCE: 1568-A, GOLD ECU D'OR, C	. 1348,
AU-50. A fully round, well struck example. One of the	e finest
gold ecu's of Charles IX we have seen	950.00
W-51. FRANCE: 1690-D, GOLD LOUIS D'OR, GA	D-250,
AU-50, Rare and popular Louis XIV type. Well stru	ck and
free from the usual adjustment marks	250.00





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W-52 FRANCE: 1746-W, GOLD LOUIS D'OR, AU-58. Lille mint. Louis XV early bust type fully struck...3,750.00

W-53 FRANCE: 1786-D, TWO-LOUIS D'OR, AU-55. Lyon 

than 50 specimens known! FRANCE: 1850-A, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-10, MS-60. 495.00 MS-63. Rare plain edge variety. . . . . . . . . . 1,650.00 -58 FRANCE: 1859-A, GOLD FIVE FRANCS, Y-33A, 1.650.00

MS-63. Popular four year type. Napoleon III Emperor 450.00 W-59 FRANCE: 1867-A, GOLD 50 FRANCS, Y-A40, AU-55. Scarce Laureate head of Napoleon III. W-60 FRANCE: 1867-BB, GOLD 20 FRANCS, MS-63. Strassbourg mint. Blazing lustre. 450.00 FRANCE: 1886-A, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-55, MS-63

W-64 FRANCE: 1907-A, GOLD 20 FRANCS, MS-63. 350.00 W-65 FRANCE: 1909-A, GOLD 100 FRANCS, Y-57 2 MS-60. Only 20,000 examples struck. Beautiful angel W-66 FRANCE: 1911, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-66A, MS-63.

W-67 FRANCE: 1913, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-66A, MS-63 250.00 GERMAN EAST AFRICA: 1916-T, GOLD 15 RUPIEN. AU-55. Type II. Rare seige issue. W-69 GERMANY: ANHALT, 1904-A, 20 MARKS, PROOF 63. It is estimated that fewer than 100 proofs were struck

This is the first example we have seen in several years! W-70 GERMANY: BADEN, 1894-G, GOLD 20 MARKS, J-189, MS-63. Rare in Mint State! W-71 GERMANY: BADEN, 1913-G, GOLD 20 MARKS J-192, MS-60. Only 85,000 struck. . . . . . . . . 695.00 GERMANY: BADEN, 1914-G, GOLD 20 MARKS, FR-334, EF-45. Popular portrait type of Charles Albert.

W-74 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1856, GOLD DUCAT FR-382, MS-60, PROOFLIKE. Last year of issue. Only 3,782 examples were struck......2,750.00 W.75 GERMANY BRUINSWICK LUNEBURG 1754 GOLD HALF THALER, FR-664, AU-50. Portrait type of George II of England. Rare. . . . . .

FR-970, MS-63. City coinage. Well struck with full mint

FR-977, MS-60, PROOFLIKE. Popular city view issue. 2,750.00 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1809, GOLD SECHSLING,

than 100 pieces struck! GERMANY:

. . 950.00 W-82 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1913-J, GOLD TEN MARKS, J-211, MS-63. Scarce date. Only 41,000 struck

W-83 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1913-J, GOLD

W-85 GERMANY: HESSEN, 1873-H, GOLD 20 MARKS J-214, MS-65. Small eagle type. Probably fewer than 50 Mint State examples are extant. The first we have handled.

W-86 GERMANY: HESSEN, 1880-H, GOLD TEN MARKS

W-87 GERMANY: MAINZ, 1663, GOLD DUCAT, FR-1593, MS-60. As struck. Excessively rare portrait type. Very

FR-1705, MS-60, PROOFLINE. A release of the doubt if more than 125 pieces are extant in all grades. 5,950.00

W-91 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1872-A, GOLD TEN MARKS 

C-342V, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Quite rare. Probably less

MARKS, J-211, MS-60. Only 41,000 examples struck. The

.350.00

MARKS, J-212, MS-63. Scarce and popular issue! . 550.00 **W-84** GERMANY: HESSE-CASSEL, 1731, HALF EDDER GOLD DUCAT, FR-1241, MS-65. Struck during Swedish rule of Frederick I. Exceedingly rare one year type. Full blazing lustre. A rare opportunity for the astute collector/ 5.750.00

J-219, MS-63, CAMEO, PROOFLIKE. All Hessen gold pieces are rare. This small eagle type is most popular.

W-89 GERMANY: NUREMBURG, (1700), GOLD 1/16 DUCAT, FR-1762, MS-63. Popular lamb on globe coinge.

W-92 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1872-C, GOLD 20 MARKS J-243, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Rare Frankfurt mint. Small 

J-242, MS-63. Popular small eagle reverse type. W-94 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1888-A, GOLD TEN MARKS J-242, MS-60. Popular small eagle reverse. Last year of

W-95 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1888-A, GOLD 20 MARKS J-248, MS-63. W-96 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1888-A, TEN MARKS.

350.00

rare one year type. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck W-102 GERMANY: SAXONY 1873-E, GOLD 20 MARKS,

J-259, MS-65. Two year type. Rarely seen in Mint State W-103 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1903-E, GOLD 20 MARKS

PROOF-63, CAMEO. Exceedingly rare one year type, the 

Homage issue to Adam Frederick (1755-1779). GREAT BRITAIN: 1762, GOLD 1/4 GUINEA, S-3741, AU-55. George III young head type. Only year of issue

W-109 GREAT BRITAIN: 1839, GOLD HALF SOV EREIGN, PROOF-60, CAMEO. Only 400 proofs struck of

this popular young head type. . . . . . . . . . . . 4,950.00 7-110 GREAT BRITAIN: 1847, GOLD SOVEREIGN. 

S-3853, MS-60. Scarce young head type. With die number.

W-113 GREAT BRITAIN: 1871, GOLD SOVEREIGN S-3853, MS-60. Scarce young head type. With die number













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W-114 GREAT BRITAIN: 1900, GOLD HALF SOVEREIGN, 3878, MS-60. Veiled head type. W-116 GREAT BRITAIN: 1906, GOLD SOVERE MS-63. London Mint. W-117 GREAT BRITAIN: 1909, GOLD SOVERE MS-63. A choice, frosty specimen. Edward VII sovereig NS-60. Scarce London mint issue. W-119 GREAT BRITAIN: 1910, GOLD HALF SOVERE MS-60. Scarce date. Last year of this Edward VII W-121 GREAT BRITAIN: 1916, GOLD SOVERE S-63. Scarce London mint. W-122 GREAT BRITAIN: 1925, GOLD SOVERE MS-63. Popular George V issue. W-123 HUNGARY: 1896, GOLD GULDEN, FR-97, MS Only 100 sruck for the 1,000th anniversary of the kingof Hungary W-124 JAPAN: 1897, GOLD FIVE YEN, Y-32, MS Meiji-30. Very scarce reduced size type. . . . . . 1.65 W-125 JAPAN: 1909, GOLD TEN YEN, Y-33, MS Meiji-42. Rare in such choice condition and extrer

S-3878, MS-60. Veiled head type 195.00	
W-115 GREAT BRITAIN: 1901, GOLD HALF SOVEREIGN.	
S-3878. MS-60. Veiled head type 195.00	W
W-116 GREAT BRITAIN: 1906, GOLD SOVEREIGN,	
MS-63. London Mint	W
W-117 GREAT BRITAIN: 1909, GOLD SOVEREIGN,	W
MS-63. A choice, frosty specimen. Edward VII sovereigns in	W
Mint State are very scarce!	W
W-118 GREAT BRITAIN: 1909, GOLD SOVEREIGN,	w
MS-60. Scarce London mint issue	W
W-119 GREAT BRITAIN: 1910, GOLD HALF SOVEREIGN,	W
MS-63. Scarce London issue	VV
W-120 GREAT BRITAIN: 1910, GOLD SOVEREIGN, Y-57,	W
MS-60. Scarce date, Last year of this Edward VII type.	W
W-121 GREAT BRITAIN: 1916, GOLD SOVEREIGN,	W
MS-63. Scarce London mint	W.
W-122 GREAT BRITAIN: 1925, GOLD SOVEREIGN,	w
MS-63. Popular George V issue	
W-123 HUNGARY: 1896, GOLD GULDEN, FR-97, MS-65.	W.
Only 100 sruck for the 1,000th anniversary of the kingdom	
of Hungary4,950.00	
W-124 JAPAN: 1897, GOLD FIVE YEN, Y-32, MS-60.	W.
Meiji-30. Very scarce reduced size type 1,650.00	1
W-125 JAPAN: 1909, GOLD TEN YEN, Y-33, MS-63.	W-
Meiji-42. Rare in such choice condition and extremely	1
popular	1
W-126 JAPAN: 1913, GOLD 20 YEN, Y-40, MS-65.	W-
Taisho 2. Rare, and extremely popular in this grade.	5
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W-127 JAPAN: 1913, GOLD 20 YEN, Y-40, MS-65.	W-
Taisho 2. Rare, and extremely popular in this grade.	1
3.950.00	
W-128 JAPAN: 1916, GOLD 20 YEN. Y-40, MS-65.	W-
Taisho 5. Full blazing lustre. Superb. Very popular.	(
4.250.00	W-
W-129 JAPAN: 1917, GOLD 20 YEN, Y-40, MS-67,	(
Taisho 6. A real blazer! One of the finest 20 yens we have	W-
seen	F
W-130 JAPAN: 1918, GOLD 20 YEN, Y-40, MS-65.	t
Taisho 7. Full satiny lustre. A very popular issue 4,250.00	W-
W-131 MEXICO: 1873, GOLD 20 PESOS, KM-414 4,	(
MS-63, PROOFLIKE, Guanajuato Mint, Only 7,000 struck	5
well struck for issue	W-
W-132 MEXICO: 1899, GOLD ONE PESO, KM-410 5,	1
MS-60. Only 9,515 struck. Mexico City mint 450.00	12/
W-133 MEXICO: 1902, GOLD ONE PESO, KM-410 5,	W-
MS-63. Mexico City mint. Only 11,000 pieces minted!	w.
W.134 MONACO 1884 A COLD 100 FRANCE MS 60	W-
W-134 MONACO: 1884-A, GOLD 100 FRANCS, MS-60. Only 15,000 struck. The finest example of this type we have	W-
seen	V
seen	W-

W-133 HEFAL. 1005, GOLD BARIA RUPLE, 1-25
MS-67. Struck under Queen Trailokya Raja Laksmi Dev
Superb! Plain edge
W-136 NETHERLANDS: 1724, GOLD DUCAT, MS-63
This date was unknown to collectors until 1970. Scarce an
very popular!
W-138 NETHERLANDS: 1875 TEN GULDEN VEN
W-138 NETHERLANDS: 1875, TEN GULDEN, Y-B16 MS-65. Popular Willem type
W-139 NETHERLANDS: 1876. GOLD TEN GULDEN
VA16 MC 63 Productions, TOTO, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-A16, MS-63. Popular Willem type
W-140 NETHERLANDS: 1877, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-A16, MS-65. Popular Willem type 425.0
W-141 NETHERLANDS: 1879, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-A16, MS-63. Popular Willem type 295.0
W-142 NETHERLANDS: 1879, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-A16, MS-65. Popular Willem type
W-143 NETHERLANDS: 1879/7, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-16A, MS-60. Rare overdate 1,500.0
W-144 NETHERLANDS: 1889, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-A16, MS-65. Scarce date. Last year of type 495.0
W-145 NETHERLANDS: 1897, GOLD TEN GULDEN
Y-28. MS-63. Wilhelmina long hair type, the only collect
able year
W-146 NETHERLANDS: 1897, TEN GULDEN, Y-28
MS-60. Wilhelmina long hair type
W-147 NETHERLANDS: 1912, GOLD FIVE GULDEN
W-147 HETHERLANDS: 1912, GOLD FIVE GULDEN
Y-31, MS-63. One year type. Very rare and highly under
rated
W-148 NETHERLANDS: HOLLAND, 1749, GOLD
STUIVER, AU-55. A very rare coin. Only about 100 struct
for V.I.P. presentation purposes! 1,350.00
W-149 NORWAY: 1874, GOLD TEN KRONER, Y-17
MS-60. Only 24,000 minted of this Rare one year type coin
W-150 NORWAY: 1877, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-29, MS-63
Only 38,000 struck. Choice!
W-151 NORWAY: 1910, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-44, MS-63
One year type. Only 250,000 struck 695.00
W-152 OMAN: 1958, GOLD SAIDI RIYAL, Y-12A
PROOF-60. Only 100 examples struck. In original leathe
box of issue
W-153 PAPAL STATES: 1865-R. GOLD ONE SCUDO
C-176A, MS-63. Pope Pious-IX. Only 21,000 minted
Search and chairel
Scarce and choice!
W-154 PORTUGAL: 1720, GOLD 1000 REIS, Fr-77
MS-63, King John V. A choice example of this popular
world trade coin!
W-155 RUSSIA: 1863, GOLD FIVE RUBLES, MS-63
Scarce issue
W-156 RUSSIA: 1864, GOLD FIVE RUBLES, Y-B 22
MS-63. Scarce in mint state
W-157 RUSSIA: 1866, GOLD FIVE RUBLES, Y-B 22
MS-63. Scarce in Mint State 695.00
W-158 RUSSIA: 1884, GOLD THREE RUBLES, MS-60
Only 47,000 struck

W-135 NEPAL: 1885, GOLD BAKIA RUPEE, Y-25 2.

W-139 ROSSIA. 1897, GOLD 13 ROBLES, 1-03, MS-03.
One year type. Rare in true Mint State 695.00
W-160 RUSSIA: 1902, GOLD FIVE RUBLES, YB26,
MS-63225.00
W-161 RUSSIA: 1903, GOLD FIVE RUBLES, FR-162,
MC 63 Co-Nichola II Chair I
MS-63. Czar Nicholas II. Choice! 195.00
W-162 SOUTH AFRICA: 1923, PROOF SET, PROOF-63.
Ten piece set. Farthing thru pound. Only 655 sets issued.
5,500.00
W-163 SOUTH AFRICA: 1927-SA, GOLD SOVEREIGN.
MS-63. Pretoria Mint
W-164 SOUTH AFRICA: 1931-SA, GOLD SOVEREIGN.
MS-63. Pretoria Mint
W-165 SOUTH AFRICA: 1932-SA, GOLD SOVEREIGN,
MS-63. Pretoria Mint
W-166 SPAIN: 1868(73), GOLD TEN ESCUDOS, Y-47 1,
MS-60. This is the Very Rare '73 in Star issue. Listed as Rare
in Krause and Unpriced! 2.250.00
W-167 SPAIN: 1868(73), GOLD TEN ESCUDOS, Y-47 1,
MS-63. This is the Very Rare '73 in Star issue. Listed as Rare
in Krause and Unpriced! 2,950.00
W-168 SPAIN: 1878, GOLD 25 PESATAS, Y-78, MS-63.
True Mint State examples of this coin are Rare! 795.00
W-169 SPAIN: 1881, GOLD 25 PESATAS, Y-A78, MS-63.
True Mint State examples of this coin are Rare! 850.00
W-170 SPAIN: 1897(1961), GOLD 100 PESETAS, MS-60.
Rare 1961 restrike. Only 810 examples struck 3,250.00
W-171 SPAIN: 1897(1962), GOLD 100 PESATAS, Y-90,
MS-63. Official government restrike which only 6,000 were
made. Rare
W-172 SWEDEN: 1853, GOLD DUCAT, C-198A, MS-63,
PROOFLIKE. Very rare in mint condition. Only 13,000
examples struck
W-173 SWEDEN: 1875, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26, MS-63.
Early Swedish gold is very scarce in Mint State! 795.00
W-174 SWEDEN: 1875, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26, MS-65.
Scarce early type
W-175 SWEDEN: 1876, GOLD 20 KRONOR, Y-26A,
MS-65. Scarce issue
W-176 SWEDEN: 1877, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26, MS-63.
Early swedish gold is very scarce in Mint State! 895.00
W-177 SWEDEN: 1879, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26A.
MS-63. A very rare date: especially in mint state! . 2,450.00
W-178 SWEDEN: 1883, GOLD TEN KRONER, Y-25A,
MS-63. Scarce type
W-179 SWEDEN: 1886, GOLD 20 KRONOR, Y-26A,
MS-63. Very scarce early issue. Choice! 650.00
W-180 SWEDEN: 1889, GOLD 20 KRONOR, Y-26A,
MS-63. Very scarce early issue. Choice! 650.00
W-181 SWEDEN: 1890, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26A,
MS-63. Scarce early type
W-182 SWEDEN: 1895, GOLD TEN KRONER, MS-63.
Only 65,000 struck
W-183 SWEDEN: 1895, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26A,
MS-65, PROOFLIKE. Choice prooflike surfaces! 975.00

W-159 RUSSIA: 1897, GOLD 15 RUBLES, Y-65, MS-63.





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W-184 SWEDEN: 1895, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26C,
MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Only 135,000 struck 750.00
W-185 SWEDEN: 1898, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26C,
MS-65. Superb example of this Oscar II type 895.00
W-186 SWEDEN: 1899, FIVE KRONER, Y-24, MS-63.
Only 104,000 struck
W-187 SWEDEN: 1899, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26A,
MS-63. Scarce issue
W-188 SWEDEN: 1901, GOLD FIVE KRONER, Y-24-A.
MS-63. Scarce one year type coin!
W-189 SWEDEN: 1901, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-26B,
MS-63, PROOFLIKE895.00
W-191 SWEDEN: 1901, GOLD TEN KRONER, Y-25B,
MS-65. Only 213,000 struck
W-192 SWEDEN: 1920, FIVE KRONER, Y-62, MS-63.
Only 103,000 struck. One year type 295.00
W-193 SWEDEN: 1925, GOLD 20 KRONER, Y-63, MS-63.
Scarce one year type
W-194 SWITZERLAND: 1883, GOLD 20 FRANCS, MS-63.
Helvetia type. Reeded edge
W-196 SWITZERLAND: 1886, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-40,
MS-60
W-197 SWITZERLAND: 1890-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
MS-60325.00
W-198 SWITZERLAND: 1893-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
AU-58. Helvetia type
W-199 SWITZERLAND: 1895, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-40,
MS-63. Helvetia type
W-200 SWITZERLAND: 1896-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
Y-40A, MS-63. One year type coin
W-201 SWITZERLAND: 1907-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-34,
MS-60
W-202 SWITZERLAND: 1912-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
MS-63
W-203 SWITZERLAND: 1913-B, GOLD TEN FRANCS.
Y-42, MS-63. Popular short-lived issue!
MS-63
W-205 SWITZERLAND: 1915-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
MS-63
W-206 SWITZERLAND: 1922-B, GOLD TEN FRANCS,
Y-42, MS-63. Popular short-lived issue! 275.00
W-207 SWITZERLAND: 1925-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS,
MS-63
W-208 SWITZERLAND: 1926-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS.
MS-63
W-209 SWITZERLAND: 1927-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-34,
MS-63
W-210 SWITZERLAND: 1930-B, GOLD 20 FRANCS, Y-41,
MS-65
W-211 SWITZERLAND: ZURICH, 1758, GOLD 1/4 DUCAT
FR-405, AU-58, PROOFLIKE. A choice example of this rare
Cantonal issue!
W-212 TRANSYLVANIA: 1646, GOLD DUCAT, FR-209,
MS-60. George Rakoczi-I, Full strike, Rare so fine, 3,750,00

W-213         TUNISIA: 1930, GOLD 100 FRANCS, MS-63. Very rare in choice condition.         450.00           W-214         YUGOSLAVIA: 1931, GOLD DUCAT, YA11 4, MS-63. Scarce one year type!         395.00
ANCIENT COINAGE
W-215 BYZANTIUM: PHOCAS, 602-610, SOLIDUS, MS-60. On oversize flan. Well struck with full mint bloom. 950.00 W-216 ATTICA: ATHENS, 449-413BC, TETRADRACHM, S-2526. Ef-45. A numismatic classic. Popular owl design. Well centered and fully struck. 2,250.00 W-217 BRUTTIUM: LOKROI, 332-300BC, STATER, BMC-12, MS-60. Pegasus flying left, thunderbolt beneath, athena wearing corinthian helmet, superb. 1,950.00 W-218 PARTHIA: MITHRADATES II, 123-88BC, DRACHM, MS-60. Sellwood 26/2. Long beard type. Fully struck and superb. 950.00 W-219 ROMAN EMPIRE: VALENS, (364-37B), SILIQUA, RIC 34-D, AU-55. A superb example of this popular type. Antioch mint. Rainbow toned. 895.00
FOREIGN CROWNS
W-220 AUSTRIA: 1680, DOUBLE TALER, D-3250, MS-60. Very rare type. Wreath around large bust obverse. Very rare in Mint State!

W-230 CANADA: 1949, ONE DOLLAR, MS-65. Prooflike
surfaces
W-231 CANADA: 1950, ONE DOLLAR, Y-41, MS-63.
Arnprior variety. Prooflike surfaces
W-232 CANADA: 1955, ONE DOLLAR, Y-49, MS-63.
Arnprior variety, Only 2,000 struck 495.00
W-233 DANZIG: 1923, FIVE GULDEN, Y-10, PROOF-63.
Rare in proof. Probably fewer than 100 struck 2,950.00
W-235 DENMARK: 1892, TWO KRONER, Y-16, MS-67.
Commemorates the golden wedding anniversary. Superb!
W-236 EL SALVADOR: 1925, ONE COLON, Y-30, MS-65.
Only 2,000 struck of this one year type
W-237 FRANCE: 1824, PATTERN, 100 FRANCS.
VG-2669, PROOF-60. Struck in white metal. Portrait type
of Charles X. Plain edge. As accepted Design 695.00
W-238 FRANCE: 1651-A, ECU, GAD-202, EF-45. 1,750.00
W-239 FRANCE: 1704, ONE ECU GAD-224, MS-63. A
magnificently toned example of the 8-L's type of Louis-XIV.
The scarce Rennes mint. Less than 50 specimens known!
W-240 FRANCE: 1710-X, ECU, GAD-229, AU-55. Fully
struck Louis XIV type. Amiens mint 2,250.00
W-241 FRANCE: 1830-L, FIVE FRANCS, C-189, MS-63.
Bayonne mint. Rose privy mark. Very rare in this grade.
W-242 FRANCE: 1848, PATTERN, FIVE FRANCS, CF.
VG-3073, PROOF-63. Facing head of Liberty by Farochon
quite beautiful and rare!
W-243 GERMANY: 1925-A, FIVE MARKS, J-322.
PROOF-65, CAMEO. Rhineland commemorative. 1,450.00
W-244 GERMANY: 1925-D, FIVE MARKS, J-322, MS-65.
Rhineland, 1000th year
W-245 GERMANY: 1925-F, FIVE MARKS, J-322, MS-63.
The Rhineland 1000th anniversary. Scarce mint 350.00
W-246 GERMANY: 1927-A. FIVE MARKS, J-326, MS-65.
Bremerhaven, the 100th anniversary 2,250.00
W-247 GERMANY: 1927-A, FIVE MARKS, J-326, PROOF-
65, CAMEO. Bremerhaven 100th year 2,750.00 W-248 GERMANY: 1927-A, FIVE MARKS, J-331, PROOF-
63. Popular Oaktree type. Very difficult to locate in proof.
W-249 GERMANY: 1927-A. FIVE MARKS, J-331,
PROOF-672,950.00
W-250 GERMANY: 1927-F, FIVE MARKS, J-329, PROOF-
63, CAMEO. 450th year of the University of Tubingen.
W-251 GERMANY: 1927-F, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63,
PROOFLIKE. Oaktree type. Very rare in prooflike 750.00
W-252 GERMANY: 1928-F, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-65,
Oaktree type
1000th anniversary of Meissen
1000th alliliversary of meisself 1,400.00









W-254 GERMANY: 1929-E, FIVE MARKS, J-339, MS-63
Meissen's 1000th anniversary. Very Rare and underrated
type
W-255 GERMANY: 1930-A, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-65.
Oaktree type. Scarce date 695.00
W-256 GERMANY: 1930-A, FIVE MARKS, J-346, MS-65.
Rhineland
W-257 GERMANY: 1930-G, FIVE MARKS, J-346, MS-63.
Rare mint. Evacuation of the Rhineland 695.00
W-258 GERMANY: 1930-J, FIVE MARKS, J-343, MS-63.
Zeppelin World Flight
W-259 GERMANY: 1931-A, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
Oaktree type
W-260 GERMANY: 1931-A, FIVE MARKS, J-331.
PROOF-65. Popular Oaktree design. Less than 100 pieces
struck
W-261 GERMANY: 1931-D, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
Oaktree type. Scarce date
W-262 GERMANY: 1931-E, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
Popular Oaktree design. Blazing lustre. Rare mint 695.00
W-263 GERMANY: 1931-G, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
One of the Rarest of the Oaktree design! 2,250.00
W-264 GERMANY: 1931-J, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
Scarce mint. Popular Oaktree type 650.00
W-265 GERMANY: 1932-F, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
The popular Oaktree design. Rare in Mint State! 495.00
W-266 GERMANY: 1932-G, FIVE MARKS, J-331, MS-63.
Oaktree type. Scarce date
W-267 GERMANY: 1933-J, FIVE MARKS, J-353, MS-63.
Martin Luther issue
W-268 GERMANY: ANHALT, 1862-A, ONE TALER, T-6,
MS-65. Only 20,000 struck of this popular two year type coin. Mining issue
W-269 GERMANY: ANHALT, 1914, FIVE MARKS, J-25,
PROOF-63. Silver anniversary commemorative. Steel grey
toned. Rare
W-270 GERMANY: BADEN, 1907, FIVE MARKS, MS-63.
Death commemorative. Only 50,000 struck 695.00
W-271 GERMANY: BADEN, 1847, DOUBLE TALER, J-26,
MS-63. Only 30,800 struck. Few have survived in Mint
State!
W-272 GERMANY: BADEN, 1906, FIVE MARKS, J-35,
MS-65. Only 50,000 examples struck to commemorate this
silver wedding anniversary 695.00
W-273 GERMANY: BADEN, 1907, FIVE MARKS, J-37, MS-63. Death commemorative. Only 50,000 struck.
MS-63. Death commemorative. Only 50,000 struck.
W-274 GERMANY: BADEN, 1908-G, FIVE MARKS, J-40,
PROOF-60. Exceedingly rare issue in proof 1,650.00
W-275 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1834, KRONEN, THALER.
T-48, MS-63. Only 17,370 struck. A very rare issue in Mint
State
W-276 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1836, TALER, T-48,
MS-63. Only 7,810 Kronenthalers were struck. Certainly
one of the finest extant! 3,950.00

W-277 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1837, TWO TALER, T-75, MS-65, CAMEO, PROOFLIKE. Monetary union commemorative. A superb example of this popular design. 2,750.00 W-278 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1848, DOUBLE TALER, T-88, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Exceedingly rare in all grades. This example is condition census and probably the finest known! 7,950.00 W-279 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1849, DOUBLE TALER, T-94, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. The rarest Bavarian double taler! An incredible coin! Probably the finest known. 8,500.00
W-280 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1869, MADONNA THALER, MS-65, PROOFLIKE. The finest we have seen! 450.00 W-281 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1911-D, FIVE MARKS, J-50, MS-65. Commemorates the 90th birthday of Prince Luitpold 495.00
W-282 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1913-D, FIVE MARKS, J-46, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Extremely rare and underrated issue in proof. Probably fewer than 75 specimens extant.
W-283 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1913-D, FIVE MARKS, J-46, MS-65. Full frosty lustre!
W-285 GERMANY: BREMEN, 1864-B, ONE TALER, T-125, MS-65, PROOFLIKE. Only 5,000 examples struck. Commemorates the opening of the new business exchange
MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Only 60,720 struck. Commemorates the victory over France
proofs were struck. 2,450.00  W-288 GERMANY: BREMEN, 1906-J, FIVE MARKS, J-60, MS-65. Only 41,000 struck. 1,150.00  W-289 GERMANY: BREMEN, 1906-J, FIVE MARKS, J-60, PROOF-65. Very rare issue. Probably fewer than 150
proofs struck. An exceptional coin!
<ul> <li>W-291 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-LUNEBURG, 1858-B, ONE TALER, T-123, MS-63. Only 49,080 struck. The first Mint State example we have handled in over a year. 695.00</li> <li>W-292 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-WOLFENBUTTEL, 1783, TALER, D-2172, PROOF-60, SPECIMEN. One of the few portrait talers from this state. Very Rare in all grades!</li> </ul>
W-293 GERMANY: COLOGNE, 1569, ONE TALER, D-9155, AU-58. Exceedingly rare in this state of preservation. Practically as struck with attractive blue-grey toning. 3,500.00

W-294 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1849, ONE TALER, T-137, MS-65, PROOFLIKE. Centennial of Goethes birth. Only 8,500 struck
W-295 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1859, ONE TALER, T-139, PROOF-63, CAMEO. The 100th anniversary of Schillers birth. Exceedingly rare in proof 1,500.00
W-296 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1859, TALER, T-139, MS-65, PROOFLIKE. Only 24,560 struck. The 100th anniversary of Schiller's birth
<b>W-297</b> GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1860, TALER, T-142, MS-60, TONED. Portrait type
W-298 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1863, TALER, T-147, MS-65. Assembly of the Princes commemorative. Only 20,300 struck
W-299 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1898-J, FIVE MARKS, J-65, MS-65. Rare in Mint State
W-300 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1913-J, FIVE MARKS, J-65, MS-63. A rainbow toned example. Exceptional quality
W-301 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1854-B, 2 TALER, T-173, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. This is the first proof example of this
issue we have handled
T-174, MS-65, PROOFLIKE. Golden toning 650.00  W-303 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1866-B, ONE TALER, T-174, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Blazing lustre 450.00
<b>W-304</b> GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1855-B, ONE TALER, T-170, MS-63. Blazing lustre
W-305 GERMANY: HESSEN, 1860, ONE TALER, T-202, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Only 6,590 struck. Very rare in all grades. The first Mint State example we have handled
W-306 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1904-A, FIVE MARKS, J-83, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Exceedingly rare proof issue. Prob-
ably fewer than 100 struck
w-308 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1913-A, FIVE MARKS, J-83, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Exceedingly rare. a very rare issue in
proof
W-310 GERMANY: NASSAU, 1863, TALER, T-236,
MS-65, SEMI-PROOFLIKE. Rare one year type made for standard circulation
W-311 GERMANY: PADERBORN, 1719, ONE TALER, D-2512, AU-55, PROOFLIKE. Rare sede vacante issue. Deep lavender toning and a great condition rarity, 3,500.00
W-312 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1848-A, ONE TALER. T-256, PROOF-60. The first proof of this type we have seen.
Excessively rare









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W-313 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1857, TALER, T-263,
PROOF-65, TONED. Mining issue. The first proof of this issue we have seen
T-262, MS-63, PROOFLIKE, First year of type 750.00 W-215 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 858-A, ONE TALER, T-261,
MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Only 50,000 struck 1,250.00  W-316 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1859, TWO TALER, T-264, MS-63. Rare two year type. A spectacular specimen with
attractive, iridescent toning
T-270, MS-65, Popular regular issue
T-270, MS-63. Last year of type
MS-63. 200th anniversary of the Kingdom of Prussia
PROOF-63, CAMEO. Commemorates the 200th anniversary of the Kingdom of Prussia
W-321 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1903-A, FIVE MARKS, J-104, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Superb example. Very difficult
type to locate so fine
J-104, PROOF-65, CAMEO, A superb example of this rare Wilhelm II standard issue 2,950.00  W-323 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1913. PATTERN FIVE
MARKS, MS-60, PROOFLIKE, Struck in bronze, By Goetz. Quite scarce!
W-324 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1913-A, FIVE MARKS, J-114, PROOF-63, Silver Jubilee Commemorative, Rare
issue in Proof!
W-326 GERMANY: SAXE-WEIMAR, 1903-A, FIVE MARKS, J-159, MS-63. Only 24,000 struck of this one year
type
MARKS, J-159, PROOF-63. Popular one year type of which 1,000 proofs were struck. 1,450.00  W-328 GERMANY: SAXE-WEIMAR, 1908, FIVE MARKS, MS-65. 350th Anniversary of the University of Jena.
W-329 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1755, ONE TALER,
D-2671, MS-60, PROOFLIKE. Very rare date. Museum quality. Fully struck with steel grey toning 4,950.00
W-330 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1790, ONE TALER, C-134, MS-65. Vicariat issue, Superb. Only year of issue, 1,650.00 W-331 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1827, TALER, T-306,
PROOF-63. Exceedingly rare early proof taler. It is estimated that fewer than 25 proofs are extant 2,950.00
W-332 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1832-S, TALER, T-309, MS-63, CAMEO, PROOFLIKE. An exceptional example of this convention taler

W-333 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1860-B. ONE TALER.
T-344, MS-65, PROOFLIKE, Very rare in prooflike 895.00
W-334 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1865-B. ONE TALER.
T-349, MS-67. Frosty lustre
W-335 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1867-B, ONE TALER,
T-348, MS-65. Full frosty mint bloom
W-336 GERMANY: SAXONY 1871-B, ONE TALER, T-351, MS-65, Only 44,840 struck. Victory over France.
W-337 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1904-E, FIVE MARKS,
J-133, MS-65. Death commemorative. Attractive original steel grey toning
W-338 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1904-E. FIVE MARKS,
J-133, MS-65. Death commemorative. Only 37,000 struck.
W-339 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1908-E, FIVE MARKS,
J-138, MS-63. Very rare and underrated issue 750.00
W-340 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1909, FIVE MARKS, J-139,
MS-65. The 500th Anniversary of the University of Leipzig.
Magnificent sea-green and gold toning 695.00 W-341 GERMANY: SAXONY. 1909. FIVE MARKS, J-139.
MS-63. University of Leipzig commemorative. Only 50,000
struck
W-342 GERMANY: SAXONY, 1914-E, FIVE MARKS, J-136,
MS-63. The lowest mintage of this scarce three year type!
W-343 GERMANY: SCHAUBURG-LIPPE, 1865, TALER,
T-390, PROOF-60, CAMEO. One year type. Probably fewer
than 75 proofs extant
W-344 GERMANY: SCHAUMBURG-LIPPE, 1857-B.
DOUBLE TALER, T-388, MS-65, PROOFLIKE, Only 2,000
struck. 50th anniversary of the princes reign 3,450.00 <b>W-345</b> GERMANY: SCHWARZBURG, 1696, ONE TALER,
D-7702, MS-63. Exceptional broad taler. One year type
with original old toning
W-346 GERMANY: SCHWARZBURG, 1863, ONE TALER.
T-395, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Only 16,540 examples struck.
W-347 GERMANY: WURTTEMBURG, 1833, ONE TALER,
T-435, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. The free trade commemora-
tive. Very rare in this choice condition 2,450.00 <b>W-348</b> GERMANY: WURTTEMBURG, 1849. TWO
GULDEN, T-437, MS-63. Extremely rare in grades above
very fine probably fewer than 50 unc pieces extant.
1,250.00
W-349 GERMANY: WURTTEMBURG, 1871, ONE TALER,
T-443, MS-63. Commemorates the victory over the French.
W-350 GERMANY: WURTTEMBURG, 1871, ONE TALER,
T-443, PROOF-60, CAMEO. Very rare in Proof. Fewer than
100 struck
MARKS, J-176. PROOF-63, CAMEO. Rare in proof.
Exceptional quality

W-352 GERMANY: 1933-J. FIVE MARKS. J-331, MS-60. The rarest Oaktree issue. Only 1.600 struck. Exceedingly rare in all grades
W-354 GREAT BRITAIN: SCOTLAND, 1569. RYAL, EF-45. Uncounterstamped. Struck during the reign of James VI. This is the finest example of this date we have ever seen! 2,750.00
W-355 GREAT BRITAIN: 1847, CROWN, EMC-1412, PROOF-60, CAMEO. Beautiful gothic design. 8,000 struck
W-356 GREAT BRITAIN: 1902. PROOF SET, PROOF-63. Only 7.057 sets struck. 9 piece set from Maundy set to crown
W-357 GREAT BRITAIN: 1953, CROWN, PROOF 65, Excessively rare! Only 10 to 20 proofs struck for VIP presentation
W-358 ITALY: CISALPINE REPUBLIC (1800), SCUDO OF SIX LIRE, C-2, AU-55, PROOFLIKE. Very rare issue of this northern Italian revolutionary state 1,950.00
<b>W-359</b> JAPAN: 1891, ONE YEN, MS-63, Meiji-24, Scarce date!
W-360         JAPAN: 1894. ONE YEN, MS-65. Meiji-27.           Superb blue and gold toning!         425.00           W-361         JAPAN: 1903. ONE YEN, MS-65. Meiji-36. Choice
and very popular!
Choice and very popular!
W-365 LIECHTENSTEIN: 1758. ONE TALER, D-46. MS-60, PROOFLIKE. Josef Wenzel portrait type. Mirror surfaces. Very light adjustment on high points 3,250.00
W-366 MEXICO: 1913, ONE PESO, KM-453, MS-65. Caballito peso. Full strike
Rainbow toning
W-369 NEW ZEALAND: 1935. PROOF SET. Y-103. PROOF-65. The popular "waitangi set". Only 364 sets
issued. Ex: Wayte Raymond collection 8,950.00  W-370 NEW ZEALAND: 1949. CROWN, MS-65. Beautiful original example. From the Wayte Raymond collection.
W-371 NORWAY: 1824. SPECIEDALER. C-84, MS-60. Old lavender toning. A superb example and exceedingly
rare in this grade. 3,950.00  W-372 RUSSIA: 1837, ONE RUBLE, C-168 1, MS-63. Frosty mint lustre. Exceptional for issue. St. Petersburg Mint. 495.00

# The Coinage of France

By Deborah D. Bartlett







Long a favorite among collectors, French coinage has one of the most colorful histories in all of Europe. Over the past 2,000 years, the French monetary system has weathered a bewildering array of issues by hundreds of different tribes, cities, monarchies, empires and republics.

France's first official imperial mints were established in the last century B.C., when France — then Gaul — was conquered by the Romans. During the roughly 300 years of Roman rule, coinage consisted of actual Roman coins brought to Gaul by the legions garrisoned there, and of copies of those coins. Early copies were close enough to the originals to be almost indistinguishable from them. But by the time copies of copies were struck, any resemblance to the original was lost. These ancient French coins are readily available today, and are currently quite popular among collectors. Silver denominations sell for \$75 and up, depending on rarity and condition, while a gold coin of the same period commands a minimum of \$500.

With the eventual demise of Roman influence in Gaul, the country became parcelled out among three warring, barbarian kingdoms. Two of these were relatively short-lived, however, while the third, the Franks, gradually succeeded in uniting France under their rule. During this period, coinage became a reflection of feudal life. Unlike England, whose single monarchy spawned unified coinage, France had no central authority. As a result, various feudal lords, heads of church and of individual towns all issued their own coinage; a diversity that provides today's collectors with a wonderful record of life in feudal France.

Typical regal coinage of the feudal period features a royal profile and name on the obverse, and a Victory type or cross reverse. Since many kings of this era shared the same name, it's sometimes difficult to classify these coins chronologically. Coins issued by the church were similar in design to regal issues, with the notable exception that inscriptions were of monasteries or bishops. Particularly interesting among issues of this period are those of the Emperor Charlemagne (781-814). Most of the deniers issued by Charlemagne simply feature his monogram surrounded by his name and title. But some carry his profile on the obverse with a temple and the inscription Christiana Religio on the reverse. These latter coins commemorate Charlemagne's coronation as Emperor of the Holy Roman Empire on Christmas Day, 800. It is an indication of their historical significance that silver deniers issued by Charlemagne are currently valued at about \$400, while those of lessor emperors of the same period sell for approximately \$50.

After hundreds of years of splintered authority, French royalty finally began to assume more central control of the country during the reign of Louis IX (1226-1270). As feudal coinage became restricted to each specific feudal domain, regal coinage circulated throughout the realm. And, as more territories were united under the crown, feudal issues gradually dwindled. Louis IX's purpose in disseminating his coinage was clearly to increase his sphere of influence. The more his coinage was used in commerce, after all, the more his influence was likely to grow.



Improving economic conditions gradually led to the development of larger silver denominations and to the introduction of gold into the French regal series. This newfound prosperity suffered a setback, however, with the outbreak of the Hundred Years' War with England. Despite economic hardships resulting from the war, it was during these hundred years that the écu à la couronne, which was to become a standard gold coin, was introduced. The écu featured a crowned shield with three lis on the obverse, an ornate cross enclosed in arches and bordered by crowns on the reverse.

Finally, after a century of fighting, the French succeeded in banishing the English from all but Calais. As one measure to strengthen the recovering kingdom, Louis XI simplified the French monetary system, leaving the écu as the only remaining gold denomination, and reducing silver and billon coinage to just a few.

From the reign of Louis XII onward, French coinage began to shed its Medieval image and acquire more modern characteristics. For instance, a new silver piece, the teston, featured a realistic portrait that reflected Renaissance influence. Letters or dots began being used to signify mints, and the royal portrait was employed on gold coinage as well as silver. That was, at least, until religious strife hit the reign of Charles IX (1560-1574) and the royal portrait was omitted altogether for 50 years. Another innovation of this period was the addition of an issue date in both Roman and Arabic numerals. Coins had previously been dated only according to the reign in which they had been struck.

It was during the reign of Henry III (1574-1589), that the franc first made its appearance. The first francs portrayed the king in a neck ruff on the obverse, with his initial at the center of a cross on the reverse. These early silver francs are readily available today. Particularly popular among French collectors, they sell for about \$50 to \$100 apiece. Henry III's reign also marks the demise of hand-struck coinage in France. Both England and France had been experimenting with a machine strike, which both countries adopted at roughly the same time.





Throughout the years and under subsequent reigns, the French populus grew increasingly dissatisfied with royal pomposity and with their own unjust lot in life. Passions exploded with the French Revolution, which brought with it a radical change in existing coinage. As part of an overwhelming desire to change every aspect of the French government, the anti-royal backlash led to crude coinage with radically revised design and dating system. Dating was based on the founding of the First Republic which followed the Revolution in 1792. A coin struck three years into the Republic was therefore dated "L'An III de la Liberté."

When Napoleon first became emperor in 1806, his only immediate change to coinage of the First Republic was the addition of his new title. Eventually, though, he discontinued the inscription "Republique Francaise" and resumed dating coins by issue date. Because mintages were high, coins of this First Empire are still readily available today.

After Napoleon's defeat at Waterloo in 1814, France's monarchy was restored under Louis XVIII. Until the monarchy was again abolished in 1848 — this time permanently — coinage returned to the royal portrait obverse. These last royal portraits form a popular collector series.





With the expulsion of the monarchy, Napoleon's nephew, Louis Napoleon, took over as president of the Second Republic. Not satisfied with merely being president, he launched a coup d'état and declared himself emperor. Coinage of this period reflects the change, as Louis replaced the previous simple inscription of his name with "Napoleon III Empereur" on the obverse, "Empire Francais" on the reverse.

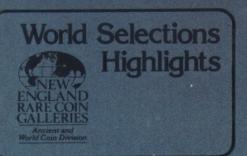
Later French coins continue to reflect the country's changing political and economic conditions. After World War I, for instance, the drift toward inflation was inexorable. Gold coinage ceased and smaller denomination francs were replaced by coins struck in aluminum-bronze. And in 1938, the 5-franc piece that had always been silver, became nickel.

French coinage also reflects France's pre-eminence in the world of art. In fact, the popular French design of "Le Semeuse" (The Sower) that appears on much French coinage, served as the inscription for our own Walking Liberty Half Dollar. Some critics contend that we were a bit too inspired; both coins depict Liberty striding toward a rising sun.





Most French coins currently available to collectors were struck in the past 300 years, from the time of Louis XIII onward. These coins span the 17th century, through the decadence of the late 18th century French court, past the French Revolution, to the current postwar governments. The earlier coins — struck in copper, bronze, brass, aluminum, nickel, silver and gold — are generally in good supply in lower grades, but are very elusive in better qualities. For example, a gold 20 franc of Napoleon Bonaparte in Fine condition is worth only a small premium above its actual gold content. If that same coin could be located in MS-65, however, it would probably sell for \$2,000 or more.





Germany: Nassau, 1809 Gold Ducat MS-60, Prooflike



Sweden: 1853 Gold Ducat MS-63, Prooflike



Germany: Frankfurt, 1656 Gold Ducat MS-63



Germany: Anhalt, 1896-A Two Marks MS-67



South Africa: 1902 One Pond MS-60



Germany: Frankfurt, 1685 Gold Two Ducats AU-55, Prooflike



Japan: 1916 Gold 20 Yen MS-65



Germany: Prussia, 1915-A Three Marks Proof-65, Cameo



Russia: 1914 One Ruble Proof-67



Switzerland: 1881 Five Francs Proof-63



Spain: 1897 Gold 100 Pesatas MS-63



Germany: Bavaria, 1827 One Taler MS-63, Prooflike



Germany: Wuerttemburg, 1833 One Taler MS-63, Prooflike



Norway: 1824 Speciedaler MS-60



Germany: Paderborn, 1719 One Taler AU-55, Prooflike





France: 1830-L Five Franc MS-63



Germany: Bavaria, 1836 One Taler



Liechtenstein: 1758 One Taler MS-60, Prooflike



Germany: Frankfurt, 1844 Double Taler MS-65

# World Coin Commentary

By Frank L. Garofalo

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With the American Numismatic Association Convention having just ended in New Orleans, this seems an appropriate time to analyze the current world coin market. Although many foreign dealers and collectors missed this year's show — both because of the heat of a New Orleans summer and because the convention fell during the traditional European vacation period — those dealers who had Choice material for sale maintained a brisk selling pace.

It was interesting to note that the demand for inexpensive numismatic gold coins has slowed somewhat. This is attributable to a "wait and see" attitude among dealers who are hoping to buy gold at its lowest ebb. Activity was very strong for Choice Mint State condition Swiss silver and gold coins. The early Swiss Cantonal coinage was in particular demand among both collectors and dealers. This demand was initiated by a growing realization of the true rarity of these coins in Mint State condition. Other areas of particular activity were Japanese gold and silver coins, Latin and South American gold coins, and German Weimar commemorative three and five-mark pieces.

One excellent means of tracking particular growth areas is the Standard Catalog of World Coins, published since 1973 by Krause Publications. The newly-released 1982 catalog reflects a great number of world coin price increases. The German section has been expanded to include many Proof mintages not previously published. There is also much more attention paid to three and five-mark commemorative issues of the Weimar Republic (1919 to 1933), many of which have increased by almost 100 percent in just one year. According to Krause, German minor coins of one pfennig to one mark denominations have made great gains in Uncirculated and Proof condition, as have German state issues from 1800 to 1872. The increased interest in state issues was long overdue, as this series had been woefully undervalued in previous catalogs. As a matter of fact, it

has been standard practice for many World Coin dealers to purchase Mint State and Proof condition World Coins at several times the stated retail price. During the past two years, New England has paid up to ten times the stated catalog value for many rare and highly undervalued coins.

Krause Publications deserves a lot of credit for the clarity and scope of this one-volume reference on World Coins. While no resource of this magnitude can be totally free of errors, the Krause catalog comes very close to perfection. Each edition has been more comprehensive than the previous one. In short, I heartily recommend this annual catalog to anyone interested in World Coins.

# Report From Japan

By Marc Emory

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Having just returned from the Japanese Numismatic Dealers Association (JNDA) coin show in Tokyo, Japan, I am pleased to report that Japanese coinage is experiencing outstanding growth among both Japanese and American dealers.

In scouting the show for New England, I was particularly interested in purchasing modern Japanese coinage dating from 1870, the beginning of the rule of Emperor Meiji. A few Japanese dealers actually specialize in uncirculated modern Japanese coinage, but many others are interested in new issues — post 1960 — and/or European rarities. In fact, about five dealers asked me for "several" 1839 English Proof sets costing approximately \$65,000 per set!

The current Japanese market for top-quality Japanese coinage reminds me of the American market for gem U.S. type coins in 1973. As happened in this country then, the Japanese currently have a shortage of gem quality coins, despite the fact that such specimens are relatively inexpensive in terms of their rarity. Even offers to raise the purchase price failed to unearth more coins for sale. One reason for this shortage is Japanese reluctance to sell their tangibles for a profit a few years after purchase. As a result, Choice silver one yens are nearly impossible to locate at any price. New England bought every gem Japanese silver coin from 1870 to 1920 that we saw. With real luck, I was able to purchase a gem original roll of 10 sen coins, and one of 50 sen coins. However, I found very few Choice silver five sen, 20 sen, and one yen coins.

One of my primary goals in Japan was to find enough Japanese gold coins in Choice condition to satisfy intense collector demand. At the JNDA show, we acquired several superb gold 20 yen pieces to offer our clients; not nearly enough, but a real achievement considering the effort involved in finding such desirable specimens.

All-in-all the hunt was an exciting one, and at New England we're extremely pleased with our inventory of Japanese coinage. As well as being a shrewd investment, Japanese coins are among the most beautiful that we've ever had the good fortune to assemble.







W-373 RUSSIA: 1868. ONE RUBLE, Y-25, MS-63. Superb.
Extremely difficult to locate in such superb condition.
<b>W-374</b> RUSSIA: 1897, ONE RUBLE, Y-59 3, PROOF-65.
Very rare. Beautifully toned 1,950.00
W-375 RUSSIA: 1913, ONE RUBLE, H-453, PROOF-63.
One of the key dates to this series. Very rare and seldom
encountered
W-376 RUSSIA: 1914, ONE RUBLE, Y-59 3, PROOF-67. A superb example of this rare proof issue. Probably fewer
than 100 struck
W-377 SPAIN: 1894, FIVE PESATAS, Y-86, MS-63,
PROOFLIKE. This type is rare in Mint State!! 1,750.00
<b>W-378</b> SPAIN: 1898, FIVE PESETAS, Y-89, MS-63. Popular Alfonso XIII type
W-379 SWEDEN: 1897, ONE KRONA, Y-29, MS-65. A
superb example of this scarce type. Choice pieces are very
much in demand
<b>W-380</b> SWEDEN: 1897, TWO KRONER, Y-31, MS-63. Silver jubilee
W-381 SWEDEN: 1907, TWO KRONER, Y-40, MS-63,
PROOFLIKE. Golden wedding anniversary 85.00
W-382 SWEDEN: 1922, TWO KRONER, MS-65, Rare Gustav V type. Difficult to locate in Gem condition.
W-383 SWEDEN: 1931, TWO KRONER, Y-51, MS-63.
Scarce issue
Superb
W-385 SWEDEN: 1935, FIVE KRONER, Y-60, MS-67.
500th anniversary of Riksdag
Scarce in Gem condition. The 500th anniversary of
Riksdag
W-387 SWEDEN: 1938, TWO KRONER, Y-51, MS-63
W-388 SWEDEN: 1939, TWO KRONER, Y-41, MS-65.
Scarce in Gem condition
<b>W-389</b> SWEDEN: 1940, TWO KRONER, Y-41, MS-65 Scarce in Gem condition
W-390 SWITZERLAND: 1857-B, FIVE FRANCS, Y-4S.
MS-63. Bern shooting festival. Only 5,195 struck. Rare and
underrated type
W-391 SWITZERLAND: 1867, FIVE FRANCS, Y-95, MS-60. Schwyz Shooting festival. Only 8,000 struck.
W-392 SWITZERLAND: 1881, FIVE FRANCS, Y-15S,
PROOF-63. V.I.P. This is only the second Proof Shooting thaler of Fribourg we have seen in 20 years! 8,500.00
W-393 SWITZERLAND: 1890-B, FIVE FRANCS, Y-33,
MS-63. Only 305,000 struck. Popular bust of Helvetia type.
W-394 SWITZERLAND: 1923-B, FIVE FRANCS, Y-34,
MS-63. Scarce issue. Exceptional for issue. Dazzling full
brilliance!

PROOF-65 Rare VIP. Proof issue
FOREIGN MINORS
W-399 AUSTRIA: 1807-A, 30 KREUZER, C-179, MS-63. Red and brown color. Undervalued
W-401 BELGIAN: CONGO, 1887, FIVE CENTIMES, Y-3, MS-63. First year of issue of this scarce type. Only 180,000 struck
W-402 BELGIAN: CONGO, 1887, ONE FRANC, Y-6, MS 63. Only 20,000 struck. Very difficult to locate this choice. Nicely toned!
ordinary collection!  ordinary collection!  6,950.00
W-404 BELGIUM: 1844, ¼, FRANC, C-9, PROOF-60. The first proof we have seen. Of the highest rarity 2,750.00 W-405 BRAZIL: 1932, 500 REIS, Y-42, MS-63. Only 34,000 examples struck of this one year type. The rarest colonization issue
year type. Gorgeous rainbow toning
W-408 BULGARIA: 1913, 50 STOTINKI, Y-27, MS-60.
W-409 CANADA: NEWFOUNDLAND, 1917-C, 25 CENTS, Y-16, MS-63. Scarce two year type
silvering intact. Rare french-colonial issue used for trade in North America. Exceedingly rare so choice 495.00 W-411 CANADA: 1858, TEN CENTS, Y-3, PROOF-60.
SPECIMEN. First year of issue. Very rare in proof.
W-412 CANADA: 1872-H. 25 CENTS. Y-8, MS-65. Full blazing lustre. Exceedingly rare in this grade. A true wonder coin!

W-395 SWITZERLAND: 1935, FIVE FRANCS, Y-36.

W-414       CANADA:       1907.       FIVE CENTS.       Y-II.       MS 65.         Scarce date.       495 00         W-415       CANADA:       1907-H.       ONE CENT.       Y-10.       MS 63.         Mostly brilliant. Rare date.       495 00         W-416       CANADA:       1918.       TEN CENTS.       MS 63.       Popular George V type.       325.00         W-417       CANADA:       1918.       ONE CENT.       MS 63.       BRILLIANT.
## 195.00  W-418 CANADA: 1920, TEN CENTS, Y-18, MS-63. Popular George V type
25 struck. 1,950 00- W-421 CANADA: 1947, TEN CENTS, Y-30, MS-65. Proof- like surfaces. 250 00 W-422 CANADA: 1952, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS, MS-65. Prooflike surfaces. 65 00 W-423 CANADA: NEWFOUNDLAND, 1904-H. FIVE CENT, Y-8, PROOF-67, SPECIMEN. Extremely rare. Prob- ably fewer than 10 proofs struck. 5,950.00 W-424 CANADA. NEWFOUNDLAND, 1918-C, 50 CENTS, Y-17, MS-60. Beautiful gold and lavender toning. Most attractive. 895.00
W-425 CHILE 1871, HALF DECIMO, Y-14A, MS-60. 75.00 W-426 CHINA: KIAO CHOU, 1909, FIVE CENTS, Y-1, PROOF-63. German colonial issue
W-428 CHINA: KWANGTUNG (1890-1908). 20 CENTS. MS 65
W-433 DANZIG: 1923, TWO GULDEN, Y-9, PROOF-63. Rare in proof. Probably fewer than 100 struck
W-434 DANZIG: 1923. TEN PFENNIG. Y-6. PROOF-63. Probably fewer than 100 proofs were struck! 395.00 W-435 DANZIG: 1927 HALF GULDEN. Y-7. PROOF-63. CAMEO Rare proof issue 695.00 W-437 DENMARK: 1771. ONE SKILLING. C-47. MS-60.
Some mint red intact 175.00  W-438 DENMARK 1815. THREE SKILLING, C-96, MS-63. One year type 125.00  W-439 DENMARK: 1842 FF. ONE SKILLING, C-120, MS-63 Much original mint red remaining. 125.00











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W-440 DENMARK: 1873, FOUR SKILLING, Y-4, MS-65.
Popular Christian IX type
W-441 DENMARK: 1874, 25 ORE, Y-12, MS-63.
First vegrof type 150 00
W-442 DENMARK: 1898, ONE KRONE, Y-13, MS-65.
Only 201,000 examples struck. Rarely seen in mint con-
dition
W-443 DENMARK: 1903, TWO KRONER, Y-17, MS-65, 40th
W-443 DEHMARK: 1903, I WO KROIYER, Y-17, MS-63, 40th
anniversary of Christian IX reign
W-444 DENMARK: 1904, TEN ORE, Y-11, MS-65.
W-445 DENMARK: 1905-VBP, TEN ORE, MS-65, PROOF-
LIKE
W-446 DENMARK: 1906, TWO KRONER, Y-25, MS-65.
The death of Christian IX commemorative 125.00
W-447 DENMARK: 1907, TEN ORE, Y-11, MS-65.
W-448 DENMARK: 1923, TWO KRONER, Y-41, MS-65.
Silver wedding anniversary
W-449 DENMARK: 1953, TWO KRONER, Y-63, PROOF-67,
CAMEO. Greenland commemorative. The first proof of
this issue we have seen. Probably fewer than 100 struck.
W-450 DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: 1878, PATTERN TWO
CENTAVOS, KM-9, PROOF-60, BRILLIANT, Scarce,
196,100
W-451 DUTCH EAST INDIES: 1906 1/10 GULDEN, Y-7
PROOF-63. Very rare colonial issue. Probably fewer than
50 proofs struck
W-452 DUTCH EAST INDIES: 1907, 1/4 GULDEN, Y-8,
PROOF-63. Very rare colonial issue. Probably fewer than
50 proofs struck
W-453 DUTCH EAST INDIES: 1908, 1/10 GULDEN, Y-7
PROOF-63. Very rare colonial issue. Probably fewer than
Suproofs struck 450.00
W-454 DUTCH EAST INDIES: 1919, 1/10 GULDEN, Y-14.
PROOF-63. Very rare colonial issue. Probably fewer than
50 proofs struck
W-455 FINLAND: 1865, FIVE PENNIA, Y-8, MS-63, Much
mint red remaining
Highly underrated in Mint State
W-457 FINLAND: 1894, 25 PENNIA, Y-1A, MS-65. Scarce
issue
rainbow toning
W-459 FINLAND: 1917, FIVE PENNIA, Y-17, MS-65,
BRILLIANT
Government Civil War Issue
W-461 FRANCE: 1790-W, LIARD, C-71, MS-60. Lille Mint.
Much original mint color intact. Well struck for issue.
175.00

W-462 FRANCE: 1599, HALF FRANC, CIANI-1539, EF-45.
Henry IV type. Bust facing right, obverse "H" in center
of floriated cross, reverse fully round flan and rare so
hrc
W-463 FRANCE: 1660-B, 1/12 ECU, GAD-115, MS-65, A
superb example of this Louis XIV issue. Very rare in such
superb condition
W-464 FRANCE: 1703-A, TEN SOLS, GAD-133, EF-45.
Scarce Louis XIV issue struck at the Paris mint.
Planchet adjustment of edge
W-465 FRANCE: 1747, 1/10 ECU, GAD 292, MS-60. Fully
struck. Scarce Louis XV issue
W-466 FRANCE: 1768-D, 1/10 ECU, GAD 292, MS-60. Lyon
mint. Popular Louis XV type. Some light planchet adjust-
ment
W-467 FRANCE: 1803-A, ONE FRANC, C-153 1, MS-63
An12. Paris mint. Exceedingly rare in Mint State.
1,150.00
W-468 FRANCE: 1812-W, HALF FRANC, C-162, MS-63.
Lille mint. Popular Napoleonic issue. This example is
fully struck and rare as such
W-469 FRANCE: 1816, PATTERN TEN CENTIMES.
VG-2412, MS-63. A scarce pattern of Napoleon Bona-
parte's son. Considerable mint luster!
W-470 FRANCE: 1817-A, 1/4 FRANC, C-177, MS-65. Full
strike. Rare as such
W-471 FRANCE: 1819-T. ONE FRANC. C-179, MS-60.
Nantes mint. Very rare issue. Only 4,094 struck.
W-472 FRANCE: 1820-A, ONE FRANC, C-179, MS-63.
Paris mint. Only 28,498 struck
W-473 FRANCE: 1827-A, 1/4 FRANC, C-185, MS-63.
PROOFLIKE. Rainbow toned
W-474 FRANCE: 1827-A, 1/4 FRANC, C-185, MS-65, Paris
w.475 FRANCE: 1829-A. ¼ FRANC, C-185, MS-65
Superb! Very underrated in Gem condition 250.00
W-476 FRANCE: 1829-W. ONE FRANC, C-187, MS-63
Lille mint
W-477 FRANCE: 1830-L, HALF FRANC, C-186, MS-63.
Bayonne mint. Only 18,000 examples struck 595.00
W-478 FRANCE: 1832-A. 1/4 FRANC. C-196. MS-65.
Paris mint. Superb
W-479 FRANCE: 1834-A. 1/4 FRANC, C-196, MS-65, Paris
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W-480 FRANCE: 1838-A, 1/4 FRANC, C-196, MS-65. Paris
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W-481 FRANCE: 1840-B, 1/4 FRANC, C-196, MS-65.
Beautiful rainbow toning
W-482 FRANCE: 1843-A, TWO FRANCS, C-202, MS-63.
PROOFLIKE. Very rare and highly underrated type.
W-483 FRANCE: 1846-A, 50 CENTIMES, C-199, MS-65.
Paris mint. Superb

W-484 FRANCE: 1847-A. 25 CENTIMES. C-197. MS-65. Paris mint. Beautifully toned
3146, MS-63, BRILLIANT. By Montacny. Struck in bronze. 175.00
W-487 FRANCE: 1848, PATTERN TEN CENTIMES, VG- 3154, PROOF-63. Struck in aluminum. Facing bust. 
W-488 FRANCE: 1848. PATTERN TEN CENTIMES, VG- 3169, PROOF-63. Struck in aluminum. Facing bust. 250.00
W-489 FRANCE: 1848-A. ONE CENTIME, Y-1, MS-65.
W-490 FRANCE: 1849-A, ONE CENTIME, Y-1, MS-65, BRILLIANT, Four year type
mint. Beautifully toned and rarely seen this choice.  Ceres head type
Paris mint. Ceres head type
Popular Ceres head type. It is estimated that fewer than 75 proofs were struck 4,500.00
W-494 FRANCE: 1851-A. 20 CENTIMES. Y-3, MS-63. Popular Ceres head type
Full mint bloom
W-497 FRANCE: 1853-A, TWO CENTIMES, MS-63. Mostly by Hunt
W-498 FRANCE: 1853-MA, ONE CENTIME, Y-14, MS-63. Marseilles mint. Extremely rare date. Beautiful old rose
W-499 FRANCE: 1854-A, 20 CENTIMES, Y-22, MS-65.
W-500 FRANCE: 1854-A, 50 CENTIMES, Y-23, MS-65. Rare second empire issue
BRILLIANT. Marseilles mint
BRILLIANT. Marseilles mint
W-504 FRANCE: 1856-BB, TWO FRANCS, Y-25, MS-65. Exceedingly rare in mint condition. We doubt if more than 25 examples exist in this grade 4.250.00
W-506 FRANCE: 1856-D. ONE FRANC, Y-24, MS-65. Rare issue from the Lyon mint. Full blazing Justice 795.00
W-507 FRANCE: 1856-K, ONE CENTIME, Y-14, MS-63. Bordeaux mint
<b>W-508</b> FRANCE: 1860-A. 20 CENTIMES. Y-22. MS-63. Second empire









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W-509 FRANCE: 1861-A, TWO CENTIMES, Y-19 1. BRILLIANT. Blazing lustre. Rare in such a superb s preservation. W-510 FRANCE: 1861-BB. TWO CENTIMES, G. Napoleon-III type! W-511 FRANCE: 1862-A, TWO CENTIMES, Y-19 2. Scarce issue. W-512 FRANCE: 1862-A, TWO CENTIMES, Y-19 2. BRILLIANT. Popular Napoleon III type. W-513 FRANCE: 1864-A, FIVE CENTIMES, Y-20. BRILLIANT. W-514 FRANCE: 1864-E, PATTERN 20 CENTIME 3669, MS-60. Uniface. Reverse design as the a style. Rare. W-515 FRANCE: 1866-A, ONE FRANC, Y-30, MS superb example of this Napoleon III issue. W-516 FRANCE: 1800-BB. OHL FRANC, T-30, Strassbourg mint. Napoleon III Laureate bust of	state of . 75.00 AD-32, . 45.00 MS-65. 175.00 MS-63, . 75.00 MS-63, . 75.00 S, VG-dopted 225.00 MS-65. A 295.00 MS-65. A 295.00 MS-65. A 295.00 MS-65.
W-517 FRANCE: 1867-BB, TEN CENTIMES, Y-28, Strassbourg mint	MS-63. . 95.00 MS-65.
W-519 FRANCE: 1868-A, ONE FRANC, Y-30, MS superb example of this Napoleon Ill issue. W-520 FRANCE: 1868-A, 50 CENTIMES, GA PROOF-63. Quite Rare in proof. Napoleon Ill. Pronly 75 proofs struck! W-521 FRANCE: 1868-BB, 20 CENTIMES, Y-28. Very rare issue. W-522 FRANCE: 1869-BB. ONE FRANC, Y-30, Strassbourg mint. Beautifully toned. W-523 FRANCE: 1870-A, TWO FRANCS, MS-63. head type. Third republic issue. W-524 FRANCE: 1871-A, ONE FRANC, Y-49, First year of this Ceres head type. W-525 FRANCE: 1871-A, TWO FRANCS, Y-50, Popular Ceres head type. W-526 FRANCE: 1872-A, ONE FRANC, Y-49, MS-63 head type. W-527 FRANCE: 1873-A, 50 CENTIMES, Y-48, PROOFLIKE. Paris mint. Ceres head type.	150.00 6-65. A 295.00 D-113, robably 950.00 MS-65. 695.00 MS-65. 495.00 MS-63. 195.00 MS-63. 395.00 MS-63. 395.00 MS-63. 695.00 MS-63.
W-528 FRANCE: 1873-K. 50 CENTIMES. GAD MS-63. Bordeaux mint. Rare issue. W-529 FRANCE: 1874-A. 50 CENTIMES. Y-48. Ceres head type. W-530 FRANCE: 1877-A. ONE CENTIME. Y-41. Popular Ceres head design.	650.00 MS-65 295.00 MS-65
W-531 FRANCE: 1878-A, ONE CENTIME, Y-41, Popular Ceres head design	MS-65 . 60.00 MS-63
Popular Ceres head design	. 45.00 MS-65

Constanting, 10017, 50 CENTINES, 1940,	150.00
Ceres head type	MS 63
W-333 FRANCE: 1002-A, 30 CENTIMES, 1-49,	150.00
Ceres head type	MC 63
W-336 FRANCE: 1000-A, TWO CENTIMES, 1-42,	45 OO
Ceres head type	. 45.00
W-537 FRANCE: 1887 PATTERN FIVE CEN	I MES,
PROOF-63. By L. Merley. Struck on a polygon	al flan.
W-538 FRANCE: 1887-A, ONE CENTIME, Y-41,	395.00
W-538 FRANCE: 1887-A, ONE CENTIME, Y-41.	60.00
Popular Ceres head design. Scarce date	. 60.00
W-539 FRANCE: 1887-A, TWO FRANCS, Y-50.	MS-00.
Ceres Head type.	695.00
W-540 FRANCE: 1888-A, 50 CENTIMES, Y-48,	MS-03.
Paris mint. Ceres head type	175.00
W-541 FRANCE: 1889-A, TEN CENTIMES, GA	D-64A.
MG-63, BKILLIAITI . Ceres head type!	125.00
W-542 FRANCE: 1891-A, TWO CENTIMES, Y-42,	M5-03.
Mostly brilliant, Scarce date	. 75.00
W-543 FRANCE: 1892-A, ONE CENTIME, Y-41.	MS-03.
Popular Ceres head design.	. 30.00
W-544 FRANCE: 1895-A, 50 CENTIMES, Y-48,	MS-07.
Ceres head. Superb	395.00
W-545 FRANCE: 1896-A, 1EN CENTIMES, Y-44,	MS-03.
Mostly brilliant	. 95.00
W-546 FRANCE: 1897, PATTERN 50 CENTIME	.S. VU
4289, PROOF 63, MATTE. Trial striking of the a	ccepted
Semeuse type of 1898	292.00
W-547 FRANCE: 1897-A, FIVE CENTIMES, Y-43,	MS-65.
Mostly brilliant	. 75.00
W-548 FRANCE: 1897-A, TWO CENTIMES, Y-42,	MS-65
BRILLIANT.	. /5.00
W-549 FRANCE: 1898, TEN CENTIMES, Y-51.	MS-65.
Scarce issue	125.00
W-550 FRANCE: 1898, TWO CENTIMES, GAD-34,	
BRILLIANT. The first year of issue and the second	
mintage!	125.00
W-551 FRANCE: 1898, 50 CENTIMES, GAD-115,	MS-63.
Scarce date	. 50.00
W-332 FRANCE: 1899, UNE CENTIME, 1-38,	MS-00
TONED	. 65.00
W-333 FRANCE: 1899, TEN CENTIMES, Y-31,	MS-63.
BRILLIANT	. /5.00
W-334 FRANCE: 1899, TWO CENTIME, Y-39,	MS-60
Mostly brilliant	. 75.00
W-333 FRANCE: 1099, 30 CENTIMES, 1-02,	M3-03
Scarce date	. 55.00
PDILLIANT Full mint bloom	75.00
BRILLIANT. Full mint bloom	. 75.00
Pare issue Only 221 000 struct	205.00
Rare issue. Only 221.000 struck	AS 65
BRILLIANT.	135.00
W-559 FRANCE: 1901, TWO CENTIMES, Y-59,	MS 65
BRILLIANT.	1419-00
	50.00
	. 50.00

W-560 FRANCE: 1902, ONE FRANC, Y-63, MS-63. Le
Semeuse type. Rare date
W-561 FRANCE: 1903, TWO CENTIMES, Y-42, MS-65,
BRILLIANT
W-562 FRANCE: 1906, FIVE CENTIMES, Y-59, MS-65.
75.00
W-563 FRANCE: 1907, FIVE CENTIMES, GAD-45, MS-65.
W-564 FRANCE: 1908, TEN CENTIMES, Y-51, MS-65.
BRILLIANT. Full mint bloom
W-565 FRANCE: 1909, TEN CENTIMES, Y-61, MS-65,
BRILLIANT Rare date
W-566 FRANCE: 1910, TEN CENTIMES, Y-51, MS-65.
BRILLIANT
W-567 FRANCE: 1911, ONE CENTIME, Y-50, MS-65.
BRILLIANT
W-568 FRANCE, 1912, ONE CENTIME, Y 58, MS 65, Full
mint bloom
W-569 FRANCE: 1913, PATTERN, 25 CENTIMES, VG-4768, MS-65, Coat of arms/rooster. In nickel 350.00
W-570 FRANCE: 1913, TEN CENTIMES, Y-51, MS-65.
BRILLIANT. Full mint bloom
W-571 FRANCE: 1914, PATTERN, 25 CENTIMES, VG-
4811, MS-67. Republic Français. Industrial motif.
<b>W-572</b> FRANCE: 1914, TEN CENTIMES, Y-61, MS-65.
W-572 FRANCE: 1914, TEN CENTIMES, Y-61, MS-65.
75.00
W-573 FRANCE: 1914, TWO CENTIMES, Y-59, MS-65.
<b>W-574</b> FRANCE: 1914-C, TWO FRANCS, GAD-159, MS-63.
The Rare Castelsarrasin mint. Lowest mintage of this
type!
W-575 FRANCE: 1915, ONE FRANC, GAD-137, MS-65.
Popular Semeuse type
W-576 FRANCE: 1915, 50 CENTIMES, GAD-115, MS-63.
Popular Semeuse type
W-577 FRANCE: 1915, TWO FRANC, Y-64, MS-63. The
Popular LeSemeuse type
W-578 FRANCE: 1916, FIVE CENTIMES, Y-60, MS-65.
<b>W-579</b> FRANCE: 1916. ONE FRANC. GAD-137, MS-65.
LeSemeuse. One of France's most beautiful coins!
45.00
W-580 FRANCE: 1916, TWO CENTIMES, Y-59, MS-65.
W-581 FRANCE: 1916, 50 CENTIMES, GAD-115, MS-65.
Popular Semeuse type:
W-582 FRANCE: 1917, TEN CENTIMES, Y-61, MS-63
<b>W-583</b> FRANCE: 1917, TWO FRANC, Y-64, MS-63. The
Popular LeSemeuse type!
W-584 FRANCE: 1917, 25 CENTIMES, GAD-98, MS-65.
First year of issue!
First year of issue!
Semeuse type



W-586 FRANCE: 1918, TWO FRANCS, MS-63. Semeuse type
LeSemeuse. One of the most beautiful types! 35.00 W-592 FRANCE: 1920, ONE FRANC, MS-65 30.00 W-593 FRANCE: 1920, TEN CENTIMES, GAD-65, MS-63, BRILLIANT. Scarce date! 125.00 W-594 FRANCE: 1920, TWO FRANCS, Y-64, MS-63. 75.00 W-595 FRANCE: 1920, 50 CENTIMES, MS-65 50.00 W-596 FRANCE: 1922, ONE FRANC, Y-78, MS-63. French Chamber of Commerce Series 25.00 W-597 FRANCE: 1923, ONE FRANC, Y-78, MS-63. French Chamber of Commerce Series 25.00 W-598 FRANCE: 1923, ONE FRANC, Y-78, MS-65. French Chamber of Commerce Series 25.00 W-599 FRANCE: 1931, 50 CENTIMES, Y-80, MS-65, BRILLIANT. Bronze issue 20.00 W-600 FRANCE: 1939, PATTERN, 20 FRANCS, VG-5504, PROOF-63. Essai by Turin. Struck in silver. Very rare 795.00
<b>W-601</b> FRANCE: MADAGASCAR, 1953, 20 FRANCS, Y-PE7, MS-63. Only 104 examples struck. Piefort.
W-602 FRANCE: NEW CALEDONIA, 1949, PATTERN, 50 CENTIMES, Y-PE1, MS-63. Only 104 examples struck. Piefort

W-612 GERMANY: EAST AFRICA, 1908, PATTERN, TEN
HELLER, PROOF-65. Exceedingly rare. It is estimated that only 15 proofs were struck
W-613 GERMANY: 1874-A, 20 PFENNIG, J-5, MS-63.
Scarce four year type. Small eagle
W-614 GERMANY: 1874-E. ONE MARK. J-9, MS-65.
Small eagle type. Rare mint
W-615 GERMANY: 1875-A, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-65.
Small eagle type
W-616 GERMANY: 1875-C, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-63.
Rare small eagle type
W-617 GERMANY: 1876-A, 50 PFENNIG, J-7, MS-60.
Small eagle type. This issue was struck from 1875 to
1877
W-618 GERMANY: 1876-B, 20 PFENNIG, J-5, MS-63.
Attractive delicate toning
W-619 GERMANY: 1877-D, 50 PFENNIG, J-8, MS-65.
Rare two year type. Popular small eagle design.
W-620 GERMANY: 1878-C. ONE MARK, J-9. MS-65.
W-620 GERMANY: 1878-C, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-65. Small eagle type. Very rare issue
W-621 GERMANY: 1881-A, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-65.
Small eagle type
W-622 GERMANY: 1881-D, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-65.
Small eagle type. Rare issue
W-623 GERMANY: 1881-D, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-67.
Beautiful rainbow toning
W-624 GERMANY: 1882-A, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-63.
Small eagle type
W-625 GERMANY: 1886-D, ONE MARK, J-9, MS-65.
Small eagle type
W-626 GERMANY: 1901-A, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65.
W-627 GERMANY: 1904-D. ONE MARK. J-17. MS-65.
W-027 GERMANI. 1904-D, ONE MARK, 5-17, M3-03.
W-628 GERMANY: 1905-A, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-63.
45.00
W-629 GERMANY: 1905-A, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-63.
W-630 GERMANY: 1905-J, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-67,
TONED
W-631 GERMANY: 1906-A, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65.
45.00
W-632 GERMANY: 1906-F, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-63.
W-633 GERMANY: 1906-F, TEN PFENNIG, J-13,
PROOF-60. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck.
W-634 GERMANY: 1907-D, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65.
W-635 GERMANY: 1908, PATTERN. 25 PFENNIG.
PROOF 63. Struck in copper
W-636 GERMANY: 1908, PATTERN, 25 PFENNIG.
KM 34, PROOF 63. In copper

W-637 GERMANY: 1908-A, PATTERN. 25 PFENNIG. KM-42, PROOF-63. In nickel
W-646 GERMANY: 1912-A, HALF MARK, J-16, PROOF-63. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck
W-647 GERMANY: 1912-J, HALF MARK, J-16, PROOF-63,
CAMEO. It is estimated that fewer than 100 proofs were struck
Struck in bronze. By Goetz
W-650 GERMANY: 1914-A, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65. Beautiful rainbow toning
<b>W-652</b> GERMANY: 1914-D, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65.
<b>W-653</b> GERMANY: 1914-F, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65.
<b>W-654</b> GERMANY: 1914-G, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65.
Very popular and quite scarce in Mint State!
Beautiful rainbow toning
W-657 GERMANY: 1915-A, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65. 65.00
W-658 GERMANY: 1915-A, ONE MARK, J-17, MS-65. Beautiful rainbow toning
W-659 GERMANY: 1915-A, ONE MARK, J-17, PROOF- 63. Steel grey toning. Probably fewer than 100 proofs
struck
W-661 GERMANY 1915 E. HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65.
W-662 GERMANY 1915 F. HALF MARK. J 16. MS 65 50.00
50.00





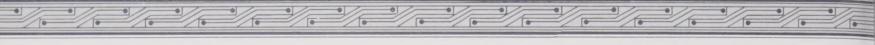






W-663 GERMANY: 1916-A, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 Beautiful rainbow toning. W-664 GERMANY: 1916-D, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65. 65.00 W-665 GERMANY: 1916-E, ONE PFENNIG, J-10, PROOF 65, CAMEO. Superb! Probably fewer than 100 proofs 350.00 issued W-666 GERMANY: 1916-E, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 50.00 W-667 GERMANY: 1916-F, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65. Very popular and quite scarce in Mint State! 50.00 GERMANY: 1916-F, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-63 W-669 GERMANY: 1917-A. ONE PFENNIG, J-300, PROOF 67. Exceedingly rare war issue. W-670 GERMANY: 1917-A, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 50.00 W-671 GERMANY: 1918-A. HALF MARK. J-16. MS-65 W-672 GERMANY: 1918-D, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 50.00 W-673 GERMANY: 1918-E, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 50.00 W-674 GERMANY: 1918-J, HALF MARK, J-16, MS-65 Scarce Mint. 65.00 GERMANY: 1921-E, FIVE PFENNIG, J-297, PROOF Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck GERMANY: 1921-E, 50 PFENNIG, J-301, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck. W-677 GERMANY: 1923-A, TWO PFENNIG, J-307, MS-65. 30.00 W-678 GERMANY: 1924-A, THREE MARKS, J-312, MS-65 . 395.00 PROOF-65. Rare short lived type. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck W-680 GERMANY: 1924-J, THREE MARKS, J-312, MS-63. Scarce Weimar issue. Rarely found in Mint State! W-681 GERMANY: 1925-A, TWO MARKS, J-320, MS-63. 150.00 W-682 GERMANY: 1925-A, TWO MARKS, J-320, PROOF 63. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck. Rare Weiman 650.00 GERMANY: 1925-D, PATTERN, THREE MARK, CF KM-100, MS-60. In brass. With old style eagle reverse. W-685 GERMANY: 1925-E, FIVE PFENNIG, J-316, PROOF 67. Blazing Gern. Exceedingly rare so choice. Probably

W-686 GERMANY: 1925-E, 50 PFENNIG, J-318, PROOF 325.00 Rare Hamburg mint issue. W-688 GERMANY: 1926-A, ONE MARK, J-319, MS-65. 150.00 W-689 GERMANY: 1926-A, THREE MARKS, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Lubeck, 700th anniversary 895.00 W-690 GERMANY: 1926-G, TWO MARK, J-320, PROOF 65, CAMEO. Very rare. It is estimated that fewer than 150 proofs were struck. W-691 GERMANY: 1927-A, THREE MARKS, J-325, MS-63. PROOF-63, CAMEO. Nordhausen the 1000th year, 1,250.00 GERMANY: 1927-A, THREE MARKS MS-63. Marburg, 400th year of Philipps University GERMANY: 1928-G, ONE PFENNIG, J-313 PROOF-63, BRILLIANT. Probably fewer than 100 proofs . 295.00 struck W-695 GERMANY: 1929-A, THREE MARKS, J-335, Matte Proof example we have seen. . GERMANY: 1929-D, THREE MARKS, J-340, MS-65 250.00 eissen, 1000th year. W-699 GERMANY: 1930-A, THREE MARKS, J-341, MS-63 Graf Zeppelin world flight commemorative. . . . 250.00 W-700 GERMANY: 1930-D, THREE MARKS, J-345, MS-63. W-701 950.00 W-702 GERMANY: 1930-F. THREE MARKS, J-344, MS-65 The Evacuation of the Rhineland. Very choice! 325.00 W-704 GERMANY: 1931-A, THREE MARKS, J-338, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Von Stein death commemorative 1 150 00 W-705 GERMANY: 1931-A, THREE MARKS, J-347, MS-63. Commemorates the Rebuilding of Magdeburg. W-706 GERMANY: 1931-A, THREE MARKS, J-349, MS-60. Listed as RR in "Money Trend". . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 950.00 W-707 GERMANY: 1931-E. THREE MARKS. J-349. MS-63. Listed as RR in "Money Trend". Dresden mint W-708 GERMANY: 1931-G. TWO MARKS, J-320, MS-63. Rare issue. W-709 GERMANY: 1932, 3 MARKS, PROOF-65, MATTE This is the first matte proof Goethe we have heard of or seen. Believed to be of the highest rarity. A unique opportu-MS-63. Very rare issue. Most of this issue was melted down! 1,500.00 W-711 GERMANY: 1932-D, THREE MARKS, J-350 MS-63. 100th anniversary of the death of Goethe. W-712 GERMANY: 1933-G, TWO MARKS, J-352 PROOF-60. Very rare mint. . W-713 GERMANY: 1934-E, TWO MARKS, J-355, MS-65 . 495.00 Rainbow toned. Very rare issue in GEM condition. W-714 GERMANY: 1934-G. ONE PFENNIG. J-313 PROOF-65. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck. 350.00 W-715 GERMANY: 1935-G, ONE PFENNIG, J-313 PROOF-65, TONED. Probably fewer than 100 proofs W-716 GERMANY: 1937-F, ONE PFENNIG. PROOF-63, BRILLIANT. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck. W-718 GERMANY: 1939-A, ONE PFENNIG, J-361 W-719 GERMANY: WUERTTEMBURG, 1888-F. 2 MARK. J-172, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Deep proof surfaces. A spec tacular and excessively rare coin. W-720 GERMANY: ANHALT, 1904-A, TWO MARKS, J-22, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Only 150 proofs struck of this one year type. GERMANY: ANHALT, 1911-A, THREE MARKS, anniversary. Scarce proof issue. W-723 GERMANY: BADEN, 1848, SIX KREUZER, C-109, MS-63. MS-65. . W-725 GERMANY: BADEN, 1871, ONE KREUZER, C-145, MS-65. Commemorates victory in the Franco-Prussian war Much original mint lustre. GERMANY: BADEN, 1871, ONE KREUZER, Y-145, MS-63, BRILLIANT. Victory over france commemorate W-727 GERMANY: BADEN, 1902, THREE MARKS, J-30, 125.00 MS-63. Commemorates the 50th year of Reign. . . . 125.00 W-729 GERMANY: BADEN, 1905-G, TWO MARKS, J-32 















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W-730 GERMANY: BADEN, 1907, TWO MARKS, J-36, MS-65. Death commemorative
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<ul> <li>W-737 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1905-D, TWO MARKS, J-45, MS-65. Scarce and underrated type 495.00</li> <li>W-738 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1911-D, THREE MARKS, J-49, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Commemorates the 90th birthday of Prince Luitpold</li></ul>
W-739 GERMANY: BAVARIA, 1914-D, THREE MARKS,
J-52, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Ludwig III type
W-741 GERMANY: BRAUNSCHWEIG-LUNEBERG, 1829, 2/3 TALER, C-199A, MS-65. A beautifully toned, fully struck example. Outstanding surfaces 1,150.00
W-742 GERMANY: BREMEN, 1840, ONE GROTEN, C-11, MS-63, One yeartype
MS-65. One year type which 100,000 were struck 695.00
W-744 GERMANY: BREMEN, 1904-J, 2 MARK, J-59, MS-63. Only 100,000 examples struck of this one year
type
TALER, MS-60. Very rare in mint state. A superb example and the first we have handled
W-746 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-LUNEBURG, 1752, 1/12, TALER, MS-63. galloping horse obverse. Blue and Gold toning
W-747 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-LUNEBURG, 1915,
THREE MARKS, J-57, MS-63. Only 32,000 struck 595.00  W-748 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-LUNEBURG, 1915-A, THREE MARKS, J-55, MS-65. Scarce one year type. Only
32,000 struck
W-749 GERMANY: BRUNSWICK-LUNEBURG, 1915-A, THREE MARKS, J-55, PROOF-63, CAMEO. Very rare and
underrated in proof
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W-752 GERMANY: FRANKFURT (1840), ONE KREUZER, MS-65. Full strike. City View type
<ul> <li>W-755 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1843, SIX KREUZER, C.37, MS-67. Full strike</li></ul>
C-70A, MS-63. Only 76,000 examples struck. Attractively toned
<b>W-760</b> GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1853, ONE KREUZER, C-24, MS-63
W-761 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1856, SIX KREUZER, C-38, MS-67, Full strike. City view type 450.00 W-762 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1856, THREE
KREUZER, C-29A, MS-65. Only 84,000 struck 95.00 W-763 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1859, ONE KREUZER, C-59, MS-65. Only 358,000 struck 95.00
W-764 GERMANY: FRANKFURT, 1860, ONE KREUZER, C-25, MS-65
C-251, MS-63
KREUZER, C-29A, MS-63.       75.00         W-767 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1840, ONE SCHILLING,       55.00         C-6A2, MS-60.       55.00
W-768 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1855, ONE SCHILLING, Y-6, MS-67. Full cartwheel lustre
MS-65
W-771 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1900-J, TWO MARKS, J-63, MS-63. Rare issue. 595.00 MS-65. Very difficult to locate in mint state. Popular type. 495.00
W-772 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1901-J, 2 MARK, J-63, MS-65. Attractively toned. A superb example of this scarce
type
W-775 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1907-J, TWO MARKS, J-63, MS-65. Scarce and underrated 495.00

<b>W-776</b> GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1909-J, THREE MARKS, J-64, MS-65
W-777 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1911-J, THREE MARKS,
J-64, PROOF-65, A deeply toned GEM 950.00
W-778 GERMANY: HAMBURG, 1914-J, THREE MARKS,
J-64, PROOF-65, CAMEO. A superb example 950.00
W-779 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1815, FOUR PFENNIG,
C-312, MS-63. Beautiful rainbow toning 295.00
W-780 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1821-B, 1/6 TALER,
C-24, MS-63. Fully struck. A superb example 325.00
W-781 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1821-B, 1/6 TALER,
C-24, MS-65. Full strike. One year type. Rare in this grade.
W-782 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1843-S, SIX PFENNIG,
C-63 1, MS-65. Rare type
W-783 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1844-S, 1/12 TALER,
C-66A, MS-63. Popular five year type 150.00
W-784 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1845, 1/24 TALER,
C-65 3, MS-63
W-785 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1846-B, SIX PFENNIG,
C-64, MS-63. Full mint bloom
W-786 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1856, 1/24, TALER,
C-90, MS-65. Popular three year type
C-91, MS-65
W-788 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1859-B, 1/6 TALER,
C-94, MS-65. Superb. First year of type
W-789 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1860-B, 1/12 TALER,
C-93, MS-63, PROOFLIKE. One year type. Probably fewer
than 100 proofs struck
W-790 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1864, HALF
GROSCHEN, MS-63
W-791 GERMANY: HANNOVER, 1866-B, ONE
GROSCHEN, C-91, MS-65. Only 76,000 struck 125.00
W-792 GERMANY: HESSE DARMSTADT, 1827. SIX
KREUZER, C-120A, MS-65
W-793 GERMANY: HESSE-CASSEL, 1822, 1/6 TALER,
C-125, MS-63. Only 56,000 struck of this two year type.
W-794 GERMANY: HESSE-CASSEL, 1831, 1/6 TALER,
C-126, MS-60. Portrait type. Very rare and seldomly seen in
any grade
KREUZER, C-136, MS-65. Golden toning 225.00
W-796 GERMANY: HESSE-DARMSTADT, 1864, THREE
KREUZER, C-155, MS-63. Only 95,000 struck 195.00
W-797 GERMANY: HESSEN, 1828, SIX KREUZER,
C-120A, MS-63, Scarce
W-798 GERMANY: HESSEN, 1910, THREE MARKS, J-76,
PROOF-65, CAMEO. Rare one year type. Superb. 1,250.00
W-799 GERMANY: HOHENLOHE, 1774, 21/2 KREUZER,
C-49, MS-60
W-800 GERMANY: HOHENZOLLERN, 1842, ONE
KREUZER, C-1, MS-63. Rare two year type 275.00















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W-822 GERMANY: NUREMBURG, 1806, ONE KREUZER,

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W-801 GERMANY: HOHENZOLLERN, 1846, SIX KREUZER, C-4, MS-63. Rare issue
W-807 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1907-A, TWO MARKS, J-81, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Jaeger estimates between 175 and 250 proofs were issued. 1,150.00 W-808 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1909-A, THREE MARKS, J-82, MS-65. Only 33,000 struck. 495.00 W-809 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1012-A, THREE MARKS, J-82, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Only 175 proofs struck. 950.00 W-810 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1912-A, TWO MARKS, J-81, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Jaeger estimates between 175 and 250 proofs were issued. 1,150.00 W-811 GERMANY: LUBECK, 1913-A, THREE MARKS, J-82, MS-63. Only 30,000 struck. 395.00 W-812 GERMANY: MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1859-A, THREE PFENNIG, C-101-A, PROOF-63. Partly brilliant. Probably fewer than 100 proofs struck. 395.00 W-813 GERMANY: MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1876-A, TWO MARKS, J-89, MS-65. Very rare one year type. Probably fewer than 50 pieces exist in Mint State. Condition census. 6,950.00 W-814 GERMANY: MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1904-A, FIVE MARKS, J-87, PROOF-63. Very rare one year type. Probably fewer than 300 proofs extant. Choice! 1,750.00 W-815 GERMANY: MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1915, THREE MARKS, J-88, PROOF-63. Very rare one year type. 100th year of the Grand Duchy. 1,750.00 W-816 GERMANY: MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1915, THREE MARKS, J-88, PROOF-63. CAMEO. Deep mirror surfaces. Hundred years of Kingdom commemorative.
1,150.00  W-817 GERMANY: NASSAU, 1831, SIX KREUZER, C-43, MS-65, Full mint bloom. Rare so choice

C-36, MS-60. City view type
W-823 GERMANY: NUREMBURG, 1776, ONE KREUZER,
MS-63, PROOFLIKE. Full mint bloom 325.00
W-824 GERMANY: OLDENBUEG, 1858-B, ONE
GROSCHEN, C-52, MS-65. One year type
W-825 GERMANY: OLDENBURG, 1891-A, TWO MARKS,
J-93, MS-63. The only year of issue of this type. A rare and
popular coin!
W-826 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1800, FOUR GROSCHEN,
C-104, MS-60. A choice, defect free example 295.00
W-827 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1809-A, 1/3 TALER, C-109,
MS-63. Struck during the war against Napoleon. Ex-
tremely rare in Mint State. Full strike 1,650.00
W-828 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1850-A, 21/2 GROSCHEN,
C-147, MS-65, Blazing lustre
W-829 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1862-A, ONE GROSCHEN,
C-166, MS-65
W-830 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1867-A, ONE GROSCHEN,
C-166, MS-65. Blazing lustre
W-831 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1867-B, HALF GROSCHEN,
C-165B, MS-65. Hannover Mint
W-832 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1868-A, ONE GROSCHEN,
C-166, MS-65
W-833 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1868-A, 1/6 TALER,
C-168A, MS-65. Very rare type. Superb 795.00
W-834 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1869-A, HALF GROSCHEN,
C-165, MS-65
W-835 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1870-A, HALF GROSCHEN,
C-165, MS-63
W-836 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1870-C, THREE PFENNIG,
C-163A, MS-65, BRILLIANT, Full mint bloom 75.00
W-837 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1871-C, ONE GROSCHEN,
C-166C, MS-65
W-838 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1872-A, ONE GROSCHEN,
C-166, PROOF-65, CAMEO. Probably fewer than 100
proofs struck
W-839 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1872-A, HALF GROSCHEN,
C-165, MS-63
W-840 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1873-A, 21/2 GROSCHEN,
C-167, MS-65
W-841 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1876-C, TWO MARKS,
J-96C, MS-65. Exceptional branch mint issue. Exceed-
ingly rare above Very Rare
W-842 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1888-A, TWO MARKS, J-98,
MS-63. Scarce one year type coin! 195.00
W-843 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1899-A, TWO MARKS,
W-843 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1899-A, TWO MARKS, J-102, MS-63. Underrated. Deeply toned 495.00
<ul> <li>W-843 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1899-A, TWO MARKS,</li> <li>J-102, MS-63. Underrated. Deeply toned 495.00</li> <li>W-844 GERMANY: PRUSSIA, 1904-A, TWO MARKS,</li> </ul>
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